

WJZ-TV  
Baltimore, Maryland  
CBS Corporation  
QUARTERLY SIGNIFICANT PROGRAMS REPORT  
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April 1 – June 30, 2009

Station WJZ-TV, licensed to CBS Corporation, is responsive to the principal issues in its community of license, Baltimore, Maryland on a continuing basis. A variety of program elements, including regularly scheduled news and public affairs programming, reports on breaking news events, documentaries, specials, and public service announcements of concern to the community are included within our regular programming service. WJZ-TV's coverage of news stories, our employees' participation in community affairs, and regular interviews with community leaders have led to the determination that the issues listed are ones of importance to the Baltimore community. Our most significant programming, which dealt with current community issues during the preceding three-month period, are set forth in this report. WJZ-TV broadcasts both locally-produced and network programming. Although we include only local programs herein, WJZ-TV also broadcasts several network broadcasts including FACE THE NATION, 60 MINUTES, CBS REPORTS and 48 HOURS.

#### PROGRAM INDEX

##### CONSUMER WATCH

WJZ reporters cover consumer interest topics. These reports air in the 4pm, 5pm and 6pm newscasts.

##### HEALTHWATCH

WJZ's medical reporter, Kellye Lynn, discusses health issues and interviews experts and patients to deliver information on the latest advances in health for our 4pm, 5pm and 6pm newscasts.

##### SPECIAL REPORTS

Locally produced special reports, focusing on community issues, local lifestyle trends and local personality profiles. These air in the 4pm, 5pm, 6pm and 11pm newscasts.

##### PUBLIC AFFAIRS OUTREACH

Relevant projects launched by community organizations to benefit area residents.

##### ON TIME

A half-hour, Sunday morning public affairs program that airs at 6:30AM, focusing on leaders, issues and events, affecting the Baltimore community.

#### **HEALTH**

April 1: Eyewitness News did a story on more effective testing for HPV.

April 2: Eyewitness News did a story on the process of what a patient goes through waiting to get a lung transplant.

April 3: Eyewitness News did a story on how weather can trigger migraines headaches.

April 7: Eyewitness News did a story on brain exercises to help prevent or delay memory loss.

April 8: Eyewitness News did a story on a new device that helps people with type 1 diabetes manage their disease.

April 9: Eyewitness News did a story on the best way to walk to improve health benefits.

April 9: Eyewitness News did a story on triple bypass surgery where the doctor used a robot to perform the procedure.

April 10: Eyewitness News did a story on how too much vitamin E can be dangerous for pregnant women and their babies.

April 10: Eyewitness News did a story on the federal announcement Maryland will get more than \$28 million for child care and immunization programs.

April 11: Eyewitness News did a story on how the Shady Grove Hospital in Maryland is trying to prevent a measles outbreak.

April 13: Eyewitness News did a story on risky treatments for patients with macular degeneration.

April 14: Eyewitness News did a story on state efforts to keep measles from spreading after four people have confirmed cases.

April 14: Eyewitness News did a story on a medication microchip that reminds you when you've forgotten to take your medicine.

April 15: Eyewitness News did a story on the potential harmful effects of statins.

April 16: Eyewitness News did a story on a new balloon treatment that helps clear sinuses.

April 17: Eyewitness News did a story on a new device that helps treat epilepsy.

April 20: Eyewitness News did a story on the risks of leaving abdominal aortic aneurysm untreated.

April 21: Eyewitness News did a story on work completed by Christopher Reeve's foundation and the development of new treatments for patients with paralysis.

April 22: Eyewitness News did a story on blueberries and their health benefits, particularly for the heart.

April 22: Eyewitness News did a story on a new form of surgery that helps dystonia patients regain control of their movements.

April 23: Eyewitness News did a story on a kidney transplant where the surgeon went in through the belly button.

April 23: Eyewitness News did a story on a Westminster girl who donated her bone marrow to her dad in order to save his life.

April 24: Eyewitness News did a story on Autism Awareness Month and a class that helps teens with the condition learn to socialize.

April 24: Eyewitness News did a story on global concerns over the outbreak of swine flu.

April 25: Eyewitness News did a story on warnings that the swine flu may be spreading.

April 27: Eyewitness News did a story on how Maryland is preparing for swine flu cases and trying to minimize the spread.

April 28: Eyewitness News did a story on breakthrough research linking genes to autism.

April 29: Eyewitness News did a story on cases of swine flu at the University of Delaware.

April 30: Eyewitness News did a story on local pharmacies trying to keep up with the demand for flu medicines.

May 1: Eyewitness News did a story on local schools being shut down to stop the spread of swine flu.

May 4: Eyewitness News did a story on a new treatment for patients with ocular melanoma.

May 6: Eyewitness News did a story on our country's first face transplant patient.

May 7: Eyewitness News did a story on Debbie Phelps' campaign to raise awareness about children with mental health issues.

May 8: Eyewitness News did a story on a skin treatment that can help treat dry eye syndrome.

May 8: Eyewitness News did a story on the number of confirmed cases of H1N1 is now 21.

May 10: Eyewitness News did a story on plans to slow health insurance companies from increasing their rates.

May 11: Eyewitness News did a story on a report that restaurant patrons eat four times the recommended amount of salt when they eat out.

May 12: Eyewitness News did a story on Brooks Robinson undergoing treatment for prostate cancer.

May 13: Eyewitness News did a story on an new experimental vaccine offering hope for brain cancer patients.

May 14: Eyewitness News did a story on a new pill for people who suffer from gout.

May 15: Eyewitness News did a story on the revolutionary new way immunotherapy could eventually treat cancer.

May 18: Eyewitness News did a story on a clue that could help diagnose dementia in its initial stages.

May 18: Eyewitness News did a story on the development of a vaccine for swine flu.

May 19: Eyewitness News did a story on pediatric hypertension.

May 20: Eyewitness News did a story on Kennedy Krieger Institute's new outpatient center.

May 22: Eyewitness News did a story on treatment options for children with ear infections.

May 23: Eyewitness News did a story on a free screening for dangerous heart conditions for high school athletes at Morgan State University.

May 24 : Eyewitness News did a story on the first confirmed cases of H1N1 in Baltimore City.

May 25: Eyewitness News did a story on how the spice ginger can help with nausea in cancer patients.

May 26: Eyewitness News did a story on the Baltimore Ravens' Justin Bannan taking part in a study on heart disease risk for larger players in the NFL.

May 27: Eyewitness News did a story on a way doctors can stop esophageal cancer before it begins.

May 27: Eyewitness News did a story on a plan to provide everyone in the state with Health Insurance.

May 28: Eyewitness News did a story on the millions of people who suffer from fibromyalgia.

May 29: Eyewitness News did a story on the recommendation to lower the suggested age African American women are tested for breast cancer.

June 1: Eyewitness News did a story on how bathing bleach could help treat eczema.

June 1: Eyewitness News did a story on a program called Angels in the OR that will help unlock the financial gates to the operating room for those in need.

June 2: Eyewitness News did a story on former Baltimore County Drug Czar Mike Gimbel's battled with Hepatitis C.

June 3: Eyewitness News did a story on how some kids who have autism will recover.

June 4: Eyewitness News did a story on patients battling anal cancer.

June 5: Eyewitness News did a story on a new early detection test for gastrointestinal cancers.

June 7: Eyewitness News did a story on a review of just how dangerous the chemical BPA is in baby bottles and food containers.

June 8: Eyewitness News did a story on the development of a test for Alzheimers.

June 9: Eyewitness News did a story on guiding women with epilepsy through safe pregnancies.

June 10: Eyewitness News did a story on local researchers embarking on a new study to learn why autism has become so pervasive.

June 11: Eyewitness News did a story on a nausea drug that may be safe for pregnant woman suffering from morning sickness.

June 11: Eyewitness News did a story on the declaration that the H1N1 outbreak reached pandemic status.

June 11: Eyewitness News did a story on a breast cancer benefit walk in Columbia.

June 13: Eyewitness News did a story on healthcare reform and how to finance the reforms.

June 15: Eyewitness News did a story on a new type of treatment for prostate cancer that eliminates surgery.

June 16: Eyewitness News did a story on a warning about Zicam.

June 17: Eyewitness News did a story on how drinking milk at breakfast makes people feel more full than drinking juice.

June 18: Eyewitness News did a story on how researchers in Baltimore are trying to end the suffering for patients with Central Pain Syndrome.

June 19: Eyewitness News did a story on FIT Baltimore activities in the city.

June 20: Eyewitness News did a story on the Baltimore 10 miler that raises money for heart health.

June 21: Eyewitness News did a story on the H1N1 virus surpassing 300 cases in Maryland.

June 22: Eyewitness News did a story on the increase of people going into nursing careers in Maryland.

June 22: Eyewitness News did a story on whether no news really is good news for medical patients.

June 23: Eyewitness News did a story on the death of a Marylander linked to H1N1.

June 23: Eyewitness News did a story on the nation's strongest anti-smoking legislation yet.

June 24: Eyewitness News did a story on whether the HPV vaccine should be given to men as well as women.

June 26: Eyewitness News did a story on parp inhibitors, experimental cancer drugs that don't cause as many side effects as chemotherapy.

June 28: Eyewitness News did a story on the nation's nurse shortage.

June 29: Eyewitness News did a story on the struggle to find a cure for inflammatory breast cancer.

June 29: Eyewitness News did a story on the increase in Lyme Disease cases this summer.

June 30: Eyewitness News did a story on accidental overdoses of acetaminophen.

#### **ON TIME**

April 12: Kai Jackson talks with Dr. Kathy Helzlsouer, the director of The Prevention and Research Center at Mercy, about the role religion and spirituality play in healing. She discusses how research does document successful outcomes for patients who pray to a higher power. Music has also been shown to help cancer patients in easing anxiety.

April 12: The Hopewell Cancer Center provides free support services for cancer patients and their families. Larry Kimmel and Carmen Foster tell Kai Jackson about the variety of programs and the upcoming Reach Out and Run event that raises money for the center.

April 26: The Children's Cancer Foundation provides grants to local hospitals and doctors for pediatric cancer programs and research. Shirley Howard tells Kai Jackson why she started the foundation and how they were able to fund the early work of world-renown pediatric surgeon, Dr. Ben Carson.

May 3: Kai Jackson talks with Dr. Davis Farvolden, a dermatologist, and news anchor Sally Thorner who has written a children's book on skin cancer. They discuss the need to start protecting children from exposure to the sun's harmful rays. They talk about the different types of skin cancer and treatment options.

May 3: The Red Devils was founded by the families of two breast cancer patients to help other families dealing with this illness. Representatives from the Red Devils tell Kai Jackson how volunteers in their program help families with items like transportation to medical appointments and house cleanings.

May 10: Kai Jackson talks with Dr. Leslie Mancuso about Jhpiego's work in Rwanda. Dr. Mancuso discusses how Jhpiego works with other international and local organizations to improve maternal and children's health. Many in this developing nation succumb to preventable diseases such as malaria.

May 17: Michael Greenebaum and Jonathan Sevel join Kai Jackson to talk about the Maryland Half Marathon, a fundraiser for the University of Maryland's Marlene & Stewart Greenebaum Cancer Center. Michael tells Kai how his mother was treated at the center over 18 years ago for breast cancer and benefitted from a drug that was developed by researchers at the center.

May 31: Dr. Richard Katz tells Kai Jackson about the programs offered at Mt. Washington Pediatric Hospital. Specifically he discusses their feeding program for infants and young children. Most of their patients rely on state assistance for medical help.

June 7: Nick Geier tells Kai Jackson about the health and safety programs that the Red Cross offers. He discusses the importance of getting trained in first aid, CPR, AED use and Lifesaving. He teaches Kai Jackson how to use an AED which are located in many public buildings and can help when someone has had a heart attack.

June 28: Kai Jackson talks with Dr. Armando Sardi and Dr. Jaime Flores about their Helping Hands medical mission to Columbia South America. They discuss how doctors, nurses and other medical personnel volunteer to provide medical assistance to people in need in the city of Cali. Medical equipment is donated to the community hospital and local hospital personnel are trained to provide proper care.

June 28: The Super Colon exhibit is one of the components of the African American Heritage Festival's Health and Wellness village. Dr. Howard Berg describes how this exhibit makes it possible for people to walk through the colon to see how it functions. He discusses the need for early detection and screening for colon cancer.

## **EDUCATION**

April 1: Eyewitness News did a story on money for schools from the federal stimulus package.

April 8: Eyewitness News did a story on Maryland's school system being ranked in the top ten in the country.

April 15: Eyewitness News did a story on how Baltimore learned it has \$40 million more than it thought after an audit. The money will go towards school renovations.

April 17: Eyewitness News did a story on the 50% increase in applicants at the Naval Academy.

April 20: Eyewitness News did a story on the 10 year anniversary of the Columbine School Shooting.

April 21: Eyewitness News did a story on the new Outdoor Bill of Rights some Maryland students helped to influence for the state.

April 22: Eyewitness News did a story on the debate to implement an Amnesty law at University of Maryland for students caught drinking underage.

April 22: Eyewitness News did a story on the high school graduation rate increase by 20% or more in several major cities.

April 23: Eyewitness News did a story on a conference to teach kids about the dangers of steroids.

April 24: Eyewitness News did a story on the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine being ranked one of the top graduate schools in the nation.

April 28: Eyewitness News did a story on plans to close some Baltimore City schools and consolidate others.

April 29: Eyewitness News did a story on Weather School for student at Oriole Park (hosted by WJZ's Weather team).

April 29: Eyewitness News did a story on new curfew centers open in the city intended to decrease violence.

April 30: Eyewitness News did a story on the opening and dedication of Stevenson University's new school of business and leadership.

April 30: Eyewitness News did a story on three top scholars at the Naval Academy.

May 1: Eyewitness News did a story on local schools being shut down to stop the spread of swine flu.

May 2: Eyewitness News did a story on an art exhibit from students at the Towson School of Fine Arts.

May 5: Eyewitness News did a story on Baltimore City's Teacher of the Year.

May 6: Eyewitness News did a story on 6 Maryland schools reopening after swine flu outbreaks.

May 7: Eyewitness News did a story on money for schools in Maryland that could change the way students learn.

May 9: Eyewitness News did a story on registration for Baltimore's Summer Learning Program.

May 13: Eyewitness News did a story on Centennial High School's two Presidential Scholars.

May 14: Eyewitness News did a story on an internet threat made against Montgomery County High school students.

May 15: Eyewitness News did a story on a mother and daughter who both graduated from Coppin State and one of them battled a brain tumor.

May 19: Eyewitness News did a story on a federal investigation into school punishment.

May 20: Eyewitness News did a story on the Catholic schools that will close in June because of lack of funding to support them.

May 20: Eyewitness News did a story on how many college graduates will go back to school because their degrees aren't helping them get jobs in this economy.

May 21: Eyewitness News did a story on a community dispute over the construction of a new elementary school in Towson.

May 22: Eyewitness News did a story on emergency text message testing at Loyola College.

May 25: Eyewitness News did a story on Baltimore City's push to double the number of Teach for America teachers enrolled in their program.

May 27: Eyewitness News did a story on how most Baltimore County students are passing their assessment tests with flying colors.

June 5: Eyewitness News did a story on Woodlawn High School's victory at the robotics competition at the US Naval Academy.

June 8: Eyewitness News did a story on the increasing diversity at the Naval Academy.

June 9: Eyewitness News did a story on how the economy is forcing high school students to give up on their dream of going to college.

June 10: Eyewitness News did a story on an award winning auto program at Eastern Tech High School.

June 10: Eyewitness News did a story on protests over 86 layoffs of administrators at Baltimore City schools.

June 12: Eyewitness News did a story on the controversy over the newly created position of Deputy Schools CEO.

June 13: Eyewitness News did a story on Stoneleigh Elementary officially becoming a green school.

June 14: Eyewitness News did a story on Brian Morris resignation from the position of Baltimore City Schools CEO.

June 16: Eyewitness News did a story on how Maryland High schools have the highest percentage of students taking college level courses.

June 22: Eyewitness News did a story on Montgomery County finishing first in the nation for its graduation rate.

June 26: Eyewitness News did a story on construction camp for kids at New Town High School in Owings Mills.

June 29: Eyewitness News did a story on an anti bullying campaign and conference that's happening here in Baltimore.

#### **ON TIME**

April 5: Bill Myers tells Kai Jackson how he works with young people to develop their musical skills. The upcoming Maryland Sings concert features the music of many Broadway musicals.

April 19: Kai Jackson talks with Cameron Miles about the program he started 13 years ago, Mentoring Male Teens in the Hood, and with 2 program participants, Jaisyn Jackson and Ramone McLaughlin about the impact the program has had on their lives. They discuss the need for a father figure to hold young males accountable for their actions.

April 26: Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Maryland provides one-on-one and group mentoring to young people who have an absent parent. Donna Wilson explains to Kai Jackson how their mentoring program is structured and documents the improvement of participants self esteem, confidence and school grades and attendance.

May 31: Dr. Carla Hayden talks to Kai Jackson about the Weinberg Foundation's leaders' trip to Israel and specifically Jerusalem's importance to Jews, Christians and Muslims. She discusses how everyone's journey can start at the Pratt Library and mentions the start of the summer reading program for children and teens.

June 21: Kai Jackson talks with Steve Mitchell and students in his winning teams mentoring project. In this mentoring program, a college student mentors a high school student who in turn mentors a middle school student. The students tell Kai Jackson how they got involved with the program and how it has helped with improving their grades and keeping them out of trouble.

#### **CONSUMER**

April 1: Eyewitness News did a story on Baltimore based Barcelona company ensuring consumers its nuts are safe from salmonella.

April 2: Eyewitness News did a story on an Even Flo high chair recall.

April 9: Eyewitness News did a story on dangerous levels of lead in some purses and wallets.

April 10: Eyewitness News did a story on the New York Auto show and what's new for consumers this year.

April 13: Eyewitness News did a story on the high demand of video games even in the recession.

April 14: Eyewitness News did a story on small car crash tests and their poor safety ratings.

April 15: Eyewitness News did a story on a toy company that was penalized for problems with its magnetic toys.

April 17: Eyewitness News did a story on a local company's pistachio nut recall.

April 19: Eyewitness News did a story on the White House crack down on banks that are raising their fees for various services.

April 21: Eyewitness News did a story on a consumer watchdog report that ranks Maryland among the worst states in terms of disciplining doctors.

April 22: Eyewitness News did a story on advice to book summer travel now, before airlines prices increase.

April 23: Eyewitness News did a story on new measures to protect consumers from unfair credit card rate increases.

April 24: Eyewitness News did a story on profit increases at Baltimore company Under Armor.

April 30: Eyewitness News did a story on the consideration to create a credit cards bill of rights to protect consumers.

May 2: Eyewitness News did a story on the Hydroxycut recall.

May 4: Eyewitness News did a story on on a new internet search engine that claims it can out-do Google.

May 7: Eyewitness News did a story on Chrysler offering incentives to customers to boost sales.

May 9: Eyewitness News did a story on pressure for Congress to pass a measure to protect consumers from unfair credit card policies.

May 13: Eyewitness News did a story on how to shop for the right used car at the right price.

May 21: Eyewitness News did a story on how the proposed credit card bill could really hurt anyone who carries a balance.

May 22: Eyewitness News did a story on the CPSC reports more children drown in backyard pools than public ones.

May 26: Eyewitness News did a story on more than a dozen Chrysler dealerships forced to shut down.

May 27: Eyewitness News did a story on the demand from the Campaign for Safe Cosmetics to change the ingredients in some of Johnson and Johnson's baby products.

May 27: Eyewitness News did a story on Samsung's recall of the Jitterbug phones because they fail to connect to 911.

May 28: Eyewitness News did a story on FDA recommendations to issue stronger warnings on dose limits for acetaminophen because of the impact on liver.

May 28: Eyewitness News did a story on a plan to reduce the price of electricity for cash strapped BGE customers.

June 1: Eyewitness News did a story on General Motors declaring bankruptcy.

June 2: Eyewitness News did a story on a claim that chain restaurants are serving extremely un healthy meals.

June 5: Eyewitness News did a story on the dangers of some popular summer toys for kids.

June 6: Eyewitness News did a story on the best steaks in the country according to consumer reports.

June 8: Eyewitness News did a story on the steady climb of gas prices.

June 9: Eyewitness News did a story on a national proposal to pay drivers thousands of dollars for their old vehicles.

June 10: Eyewitness News did a story on the recall of Clarcon skin care products because of dangerous manufacturing practices.

June 11: Eyewitness News did a story on the high cost of repairs for small fuel efficient cars.

June 12: Eyewitness News did a story on the recall of Blair LLC chenille robes that pose a fire hazard.

June 17: Eyewitness News did a story on the recall of some Macy's sweatshirts that pose a strangulation risk.

June 19: Eyewitness News did a story on the recall of Tollhouse cookies dough products that could be contaminated with e-coli.

June 22: Eyewitness News did a story on swimming dangers and pool safety.

June 24: Eyewitness News did a story on how to ensure your deck is safe from collapsing.

June 25: Eyewitness News did a story on Comcast and Time Warner teaming up to offer consumers more shows on the internet.

June 28: Eyewitness News did a story on General Motors agreeing to take responsibility for liability claims even though it is in chapter 11 bankruptcy.

June 29: Eyewitness News did a story on FDA warnings about Tylenol overdoses.

June 30: Eyewitness News did a story on Sears offer to help customers who loose their jobs suspend payments on their Sears appliances.

## **ON TIME**

June 7: Consumers can cut their energy use and save money by participating in BGE's Peak Rewards program. Ruth Kiselewich tells Kai Jackson how consumers with central air or a heat pump can sign up to participate in this program at various levels – the higher their participating, the more they save. She discussed other means to cut their bill by unplugging unused electronic devices that use energy while sitting idle.

## **ART & CULTURE**

April 1: Eyewitness News did a story on the Dynamic Twirlers of ElkrIDGE.

April 3: Eyewitness News did a story on some local musicians who wrote a song about the Orioles.

April 4: Eyewitness News did a story on Orioles Fanfest at Camden Yards.

April 5: Eyewitness News did a story on the Fairy Tale Festival at Baltimore's Enoch Pratt Library.

April 6: Eyewitness News did complete coverage of Orioles Opening Day.

April 7: Eyewitness News did a story on new gardens at Baltimore's City Hall.

April 8: Eyewitness News did a story on the dolphin show at the Aquarium.

April 9: Eyewitness News did a story on the Babe Ruth Museum downtown.

April 10: Eyewitness News did a story on the Survivor Casting call at Antwerpen in Catonsville.

April 11: Eyewitness News did a story on the new flower show display at the Druid Hill Park Conservatory.

April 12: Eyewitness News did a story on Easter Sunday services at the Basilica of the Assumption Church in downtown Baltimore.

April 13: Eyewitness News did a story on the future of Preakness in Maryland.

April :14 Eyewitness News did a story on a local meals on wheels program.

April 15: Eyewitness News did a story on the Maryland SPCA march for pets.

April 16: Eyewitness News did a story on the BSO decorator show house.

April 17: Eyewitness News did a story on Healthy Kids Day at the YMCA at Central Maryland.

April 17: Eyewitness News did a story on the Taste of Catonsville food festival.

April 18: Eyewitness News did a story on a new green hotel in Baltimore.

April 20: Eyewitness News did a story on the fundraiser former Baltimore Colt Lenny Moore did with St. Agnes Hospital.

April 22: Eyewitness News did a story on Baltimore for Less deals coming up for the weekend.

April 23: Eyewitness News did a story on the Highlandtown Wine festival.

April 24: Eyewitness News did a story on Graul's Fights Cancer Day.

April 25: Eyewitness News did a story on a day of fun with Carnival Cruises at the Inner Harbor.

April 26: Eyewitness News did a story on tips for becoming a savvy tourist in Baltimore.

April 28: Eyewitness News did a story on the spring flowers at Sherwood Gardens.

April 30: Eyewitness News did a story on the Championship Towson Dance Team.

May 1: Eyewitness News did a story on Dick Gelfman's Ride Across Maryland fundraiser.

May 2: Eyewitness News did a story on the East Coast Kinetic Sculpture Race Championship.

May 3: Eyewitness News did a story on the opening of the Baltimore Farmers Market.

May 4: Eyewitness News did a story on the Hippodrome's upcoming season and its efforts to make shows more affordable.

May 5: Eyewitness News did a story on how volunteers rebuilt the playground at the "Y" at Stadium Place.

May 6: Eyewitness News did a story on the host of the Amazing Race and his benefit ride across the country.

May 7: Eyewitness News did a story on the Maryland film festival.

May 8: Eyewitness News did a story on MTV's the X games landing in White Marsh.

May 9: Eyewitness News did a story on Ironfest at Ripken Stadium.

May 10: Eyewitness News did a story on Mother's Day specials at Miss Shirley's Cafe.

May 12: Eyewitness News did a story on trapeze school in Baltimore.

May 14: Eyewitness News did a story on how Goddard Space Center is controlling the spacewalk at the ISS.

May 15: Eyewitness News did a story on preparations for Preakness.

May 16: Eyewitness News did a story on Preakness.

May 17: Eyewitness News did a story on Bike Jam 2009 in Patterson Park.

May 18: Eyewitness News did a story on the flowers in full bloom at Sherwood Gardens.

May 19: Eyewitness News did a story on Canstruction at the Harbor, a cause to fight hunger in Maryland in which sculptors use only cans.

May 21: Eyewitness News did a story on the Waterfront Invasion summer programs at the aquarium and the science center.

May 22: Eyewitness News did a story on the Women's College Lacrosse final four at Towson University's stadium.

May 23: Eyewitness News did a story on the annual tulip dig at Sherwood Gardens.

May 24: Eyewitness News did a story on Marylanders spending Memorial Day weekend at the pool and eating crabs.

May 25: Eyewitness News did a story on soft-shell crab week.

May 27: Eyewitness News did a story on the ESPN Spelling Bee.

May 28: Eyewitness News did a story on the Opera Auction.

May 29: Eyewitness News did a story on Dick Gelfman's Ride Across Maryland.

June 3: Eyewitness News did a story on the Universoul Circus.

June 4: Eyewitness News did a story on the first tall ship to pull into Baltimore's Harbor for the summer.

June 6: Eyewitness News did a story on the Charm City Rollers and this year's Roller Derby Competition.

June 7: Eyewitness News did a story on John Glover, a local Tony Awards Nominee.

June 8: Eyewitness News did a story on the Owings Mills Special effects company that worked on the movie "Night at the Museum 2."

June 9: Eyewitness News did a story on the farmer's market in downtown Baltimore.

June 13: Eyewitness News did a story on Spring Awakening playing at the Hippodrome.

June 13: Eyewitness News did a story on Honfest in Hampden.

June 14: Eyewitness News did a story on Flag Day events at Ft. McHenry.

June 15: Eyewitness News did a story on Ravens coach John Harbaugh's plans to spend Independence Day in Iraq and Kuwait.

June 16: Eyewitness News did a story on the prairie dogs at the Maryland Zoo in Baltimore.

June 17: Eyewitness News did a story on the 8th Annual African American Heritage Festival.

June 18: Eyewitness News did a story on Re Deux, a high end second hand shop in Roland Park.

June 19: Eyewitness News did a story on the new flag pole at Ft. McHenry.

June 21: Eyewitness News did a story on the American Visionary Art Museum's collection traveling to New York.

June 22: Eyewitness News did a story on the new Pratt Cafe at the Enoch Pratt Free library.

June 24: Eyewitness News did a story on a relay racing for dogs sport called FlyBall.

June 25: Eyewitness News did a story on fireworks safety.

June 26: Eyewitness News did a story on Family Fun Day at Power Plant Live.

June 28: Eyewitness News did a story on the annual Baltimore Women's Classic 5k Race to benefit local hospitals.

June 30: Eyewitness News did a story on the Virgin Music Festival at Merriweather Post Pavilion.

## **ON TIME**

April 19: Adrienne Watson Carver tells Kai Jackson how her modeling career is helping young girls transition into womanhood through her Studio A Modeling Etiquette and Dance Academy. She mentors young girls in social graces and builds confidence and self esteem. This past year, she held her first cotillion that raised scholarship money for young women entering college.

May 3: Center Stage's new production, Souvenir, is discussed by the theatre's dramaturg, Katie Van Winkle. She discusses the role of a dramaturg and how this play was based on a New York socialite who performed on stage yet had no voice for singing.

May 10: Laughter is the best medicine and comedian Todd Rexx tells Kai Jackson why humor is important in these trying economic times. He discusses how he went from being the class clown to a professional comedian.

May 10: Local businessman and entrepreneur Julian Hyman tells Kai Jackson why he wrote his new book "U Can Save Our World." He has outlined simple steps that everyone, no matter their economic status, can adopt to better living conditions on the planet.

May 17: Kai Jackson talks with playwright David Emerson Toney and Vincent Lancisi, artistic director of the Everyman Theatre about the world premiere of "The Soul Collector." They discuss the increase in productions by and about African Americans. David Emerson Toney tells Kai Jackson he became a playwright after actor for many years and yearning for more in-depth roles for black men.

May 17: The Maryland Science Center is hosting one of the anchor exhibits in the new Baltimore Waterfront Invasion taking place in the Inner Harbor from Memorial Day to Labor Day. President and CEO Van Reiner tells Kai Jackson about their upcoming Chinasaurs: Dinosaur Dynasty exhibit and the Aquarium's Jellies Invasion: Oceans out of Balance – the other major anchor.

June 7: Young Audiences/Arts for Learning offers schools an opportunity to showcase various artists and art forms to their students. Pat Cruz explains how Young Artists provides one-stop-shopping for arts programs and how their upcoming fundraiser helps to offset the costs of these programs.

June 21: The African American Heritage Festival returns to Camden Yards and LaRian Finney tells Kai Jackson about this year's entertainment line up. Apryl Lomax discusses the health and wellness expo where fair patrons can get free blood pressure screening and participate in other health screenings.

June 21: Kai Jackson talks with Paul Meecham and Laurie Sokoloff about the symphony's Music Matters Play your Part campaign. The economic recession has affected the orchestra and rather than cut musicians, the orchestra volunteered to give back \$1 million with the management and public matching their donation 2 to 1. Laurie Sokoloff explained why the musicians wanted to volunteer pay and pension cuts to preserve the musical excellence of the BSO.

## **COMMUNITY**

April 2: Eyewitness News did a story on a local job fair.

April 4: Eyewitness News did a story on Orioles Fan Fest at Oriole Park.

April 6: Eyewitness News did a story on Orioles Opening Day.

April 25: Eyewitness News sponsored the Roar for Autism event at Oregon Ridge to benefit Kennedy Krieger Institute.

May 2: Eyewitness News Derek Valcourt emceed the Chase Brexton Gala and Fundraiser.

May 23: Eyewitness News did a story on free prostate cancer screening at Millford Mill Academy.

May 29: Eyewitness News did a story on Dick Gelfman's Ride Across Maryland to benefit breast cancer research.

May 31: Eyewitness News sponsored the first ever Maryland Half Marathon. Bernadette Woods emceed the race kickoff along with Mark Viviano.

April 29- 6pm: Eyewitness News did a story on preparing for the digital transition with help from a member of the president's cabinet.

May 21- 4pm, 5pm, 6pm: Eyewitness News did a story on a DTV test so viewers will know if they are set for the transition.

May 26: Eyewitness News did a story on the Timonium Half Marathon.

May 30: Eyewitness News did half hour special on everything viewers need to know to prepare for the digital transition including what happens on June 12th, buying new equipment, setting up a converter box, other options for viewers, and retuning.

May 31: Eyewitness News did a story on the FCC help centers set up around the region to help prepare viewers for the DTV switch.

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June 10: Eyewitness News did a story on how the switch from analog to digital system technically happens with the WJZ signal tower.

June 11: Eyewitness News did a story on the 3 million people not ready for the DTV transition.

June 11: Eyewitness News did a story on reminding people to rescan their televisions after the transition.

June 12: Eyewitness News did a story on what to do to make sure you are DTV ready.

June 12: Eyewitness News did a story on turning on WJZ's transmitter for digital television.

June 12: Eyewitness News did a story on the digital transition and what to do if you are still having problems.

June 27: Eyewitness News did a story on Baltimore City's new recycling schedule.

June 29: Eyewitness News did a story on protesters not happy about the proposal for an above ground light rail to travel through Canton.

#### ON TIME

April 5: Kai Jackson talks with Richard Doran and Stephanie Cornish about the Baltimore Neighborhoods. The 50 year old organization monitors fair housing laws and local compliance and provides help with tenant landlord problems.

April 5: Rebuilding Together is focusing volunteer efforts in the Turners Station and Park Circle neighborhoods. Representatives tell Kai Jackson how volunteers both with and without home rebuilding skills are needed to renovate low income homes in these depressed neighborhoods.

April 12: Alice Cole and James Hamlin talk about the need for Baltimore City youth to work at structured jobs over the summer. YouthWorks provides training for up to 6000 city teenagers and works with the business and non profit sectors to identify funding and jobs for the city youth.

April 19: Through his music ministry, Rev. Anthony Brown is helping young people through his Dream 4 It Foundation. Later this summer, he will hold a benefit concert that raises scholarship money for incoming college freshmen.

April 26: Kai Jackson talks with Travis Loop, coordinator of the Chesapeake Club about how individual's can help improve the health of the Chesapeake Bay. By becoming a member of the Chesapeake Club, residents agree not to fertilize their yards until the Fall when run off is less likely to damage the bay's ecosystem.

May 24: Kai Jackson talks with Eyewitness News Anchor Vic Carter about his book, "From Yonder to Here" A Memoir of Dr. Ozell Sutton that features stories of this civil rights pioneer who was on the frontlines of all the

historic chapters in the country's race relation events. He tells Kai how he first met Dr. Sutton, while covering a story of the KKK massacre in Greensboro in the 1980's.

May 24: Diane Bell-McKoy tells Kai Jackson about the Associated Black Charities program, More in the Middle, that seeks to provide healthy middle class opportunities to people of color. She discusses their other initiative, Place Matters, which goes hand in hand with More in the Middle, and addresses health disparities in the black community.

May 31: Charles Village is one of Baltimore's unique neighborhoods. Colleen Williams tells Kai Jackson about their upcoming festival that's being held in Wyman Park Dell and features a garden tour of 20 homes.

June 14: Kai Jackson talks with Morning Sunday and Chef Timothy Dean about the upcoming Juneteenth celebrations. Chef Dean demonstrates a black-eyed pea salad while Morning Sunday explains the importance of black-eyed peas in the African American culture.

June 14: Rev. Evelyn Hill Coleman and Rev. Vaile Leonard tell Kai Jackson about their recovery center that uses a holistic approach and counsels the entire family not just the individual with an addiction problem.

June 14: Christopher Place Employment Academy representatives Carl Howell and Carl Travis tell Kai Jackson about their program that offers housing, employment and life skills training for homeless men. Carl Travis tells Kai Jackson how losing his job resulted in him becoming homeless.

June 28: Mark Montgomery tells Kai Jackson how Ports America is working to raise money for programs that help people living near the ports. He discusses how the charity foundation was started as a result of a co worker who died from brain cancer. Heart disease and children's programs are the focus of the current campaign.